



(Herald Photo)
NEW DEPUTY . . . Andy Alexander, captain of the Torrance Mounted Police, pins a badge on Miss Shirlee Garner making her the first feminine honorary deputy. The blue-eyed brunette is the group's candidate for Miss Torrance of 1954. Alexander's horse, Tony, perks up his ears in appreciation of her beauty.

Moose Slate Two Week-end Activities

The Torrance Moose lodge will hold a swiss steak dinner at the lodge hall, 1744 W. Carson St., from 6 to 8 p.m. on Saturday, July 24, James Stiles, committee chairman, has announced.

George Clay, in charge of dinner arrangement, will be chef at the building fund dinner-dance. Dave Harbison, ways and means committee member, will direct the dance program after the dinner.

On Sunday, the second in a series of picnics for lodge members and friends will be held at July 25, starting at 11 a.m.

Box lunches prepared by people attending will be supplemented by other refreshments provided by the lodge.

Races and contests will highlight the afternoon activities.

Youth Honor Day Set for October

Youth will have its day on Oct. 30.

The Torrance Moose lodge has announced that it will sponsor a "Youth Honor Day," offering city-wide recognition of the accomplishments of Torrance youth, according to James A. Evans, lodge secretary.

Such a day would demonstrate that the Moose lodge has "eternal faith in the honor and integrity of childhood and youth," and would be a "blessing to the community," Joseph Platt, Governor of the Torrance lodge, declared.

The importance of citizenship building through worthwhile activity was stressed by Platt.

A contest involving incidents of heroism, actual use of safety principals learned in a safety program of school or community, and a year's record in safety work of any kind will feature the day. Prizes for national winners

Employment At New Peak

Civilian employment in California increased by 35,000 between May and June, Paul Scharrenberg, Director of the California Department of Industrial Relations, and William A. Burkett, Director of the California Department of Employment, announced today.

The gain carried total employment to 4,930,000—the highest level reached so far this year.

Joyrider Takes Truck

David D. Coen, 24426 Ward St., has told Torrance police that someone stole his pickup truck, apparently drove it about 100 miles and returned it. A pair of Japanese binoculars, valued at \$85, was taken from the glove compartment, he said.

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Woman Taken From Street In Attack Try

Attempting to rape her, four youths took her purse, containing \$12, a gold wedding ring, and a pair of earrings, a Redondo Beach woman told Torrance police this week.

She was pulled off the street in Redondo Beach by the quartette, she said, and her face and mouth covered. She had come up to the car, believing it to be that of her brother-in-law.

She was taken to the oil fields near Sepulveda Blvd., where she was taken from the car and the men started to disrobe her. When partially undressed, she escaped, and ran to a nearby house, where she called police.

The case has been turned over to Redondo Beach police, since she was kidnapped there.

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